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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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PATIENT FOR COMPUTER)	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS/ Application
Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that this amendment be entered prior to examination of the application. Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2, amendments to the Claims begin on page 3, and the Remarks begin on page 6.